LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TENTH DAY.

Tuesday, 28th March 1950.

The Legislative Assembly met in the Legislative Assembly Hall, Old Public Offices, Bangalore, at Thirty Minutes past Eight of the Clock.

Mr. Speaker (Sri V. Venkatappa) in the Chair.

STARRED QUESTIONS

(to which oral answers were given).

MR. SPEAKER (Sri V. Venkatappa).—Question No. 36. Mr. B. Hutche Gowda.

Power supply to the Governments of Madras and Bombay.

*Q.—36. SRI B. HUTCHE GOWDA (Tumkur District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the place or places in the neighbouring States of Madras and Bombay to which the Mysore Government have agreed to supply power;

(*b*) the dates on which agreements have been concluded for the purpose and the terms and conditions relating to each of these agreements;

(*c*) besides the agreements concluded, whether there are any negotiations going on between this Government and the Governments of the neighbouring States for power supply; if so, in what stage they are?

*A.—SRI K. T. BHASHYAM (Minister for Law and Labour).—

(*a*) (i) Power supply to the Government of Madras has been arranged at two points at the Mysore State border :—

(1) at Kollegal and
(2) at Ujjini for the Ceded Districts.

(ii) Power supply to the Government of Bombay has been agreed to at two points, *viz.*, Harihar and Jog.

(*b*) The Kollegal agreement was concluded on 6th August 1947 and the Ujjini agreement on 1st September 1947.

For the terms and conditions please see statements below.

(*c*) (i) Negotiations are going on with the Government of Madras for power supply at the undermentioned places :—

(1) at Mekadatu,
(2) at Hosur,
(3) South Kanara District.

The negotiations have not yet been completed, as the same is dependent on the negotiations for the generation of electric power at Mekadatu.

(ii) Negotiations for power supply at Jog and Harihar to the Government of Bombay are also being carried on.

The matter is under correspondence with the Government of Bombay.

Agreement entered into with the Government of Madras in connection with the Power Supply to Kollegal:—

(1) Quantity of Power	...	... 84 H.P. in the first instance and eventually up to 300 K.W. when the extension to the New Factory proposed to be constructed by the consumer and change over of the Kollegal Panchayet materialise.
(2) Period of Agreement	...	... For a period of five years from 26th August 1943.

(B) Agreement to be entered into with the Government of Madras in connection with the Power Supply to Kollegal :—

(Renewal of Agreement).

(1) Quantity of Power ... ... The supplier agrees to supply to the consumer up to 800 K.W.

(2) Period of Agreement ... ... For a period of 10 years commencing on the 27th day of August 1948.

SCHEDULE OF RATES.

	Total monthly consumption in K.W.H.					Rate per K.W.H.	Rate per K.W. of maximum demand per month
						Anna	
i.	Up to	...	100,000	...	...	0·450	
ii.	Exceeding	...	100,000	up to	150,000	0·425	
iii.	Do	..	150,000	,,	200 000	0·400	PLUS
iv.	Do	...	200,000	,,	300,000	0·375	Up to 1,000 K.W. Rs. 3.
v.	Do	...	300,000	,,	500,000	0·350	1,000 K.W. and over
vi.	Do	...	500,000	,,	1,000,000	0·325	Rs. 2-12-0.
vii.	Do	...	1,000,000	and above		0·300	

Agreement entered into with the Government of Madras in connection with the Power Supply to Ceded Districts :—

(1) Quantity of Power ... ... The supplier agrees to supply to the consumer up to 4,000 K.W. in bulk.

(2) Period of Agreement ... ... For a period of 8 years commencing from 1st July 1949.

SCHEDULE OF RATES.

	Total monthly consumption in K.W.H.					Rate per K.W.H.	Rate per K.W. of Maximum demand per month
						Anna	
i.	Up to	...	100,000	...	...	0·450	
ii.	Exceeding	...	100,000	up to	150,000	0·425	
iii.	Do	...	150,000	,,	200,000	0·400	PLUS
iv.	Do	...	200,000	,,	300,000	0·375	Up to 1,000 K.W. Rs. 3.
v.	Do	...	300 000	,,	500,000	0·350	1,000 K.W. and over
vi.	Do	...	500,000	,,	1,000,000	0·325	Rs. 2-12-0.
vii.	Do	...	1,000,000	and above		0·300	

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಒಪ್ಪಂದ ಮುಗಿಯ ಬೇಕಾದರೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ದಿವಸವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಯಾವುದು?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು —'The matter is under correspondence.....' ಎಂದು ಉತ್ತರ ದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿದೆ, ಈ ಒಪ್ಪಂದ ಯಾವಾಗ ಪೂರ್ತಿಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ? ಸುಮಾರು ಎಷ್ಟುಕಾಲವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ!

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಕೊಳ್ಳೇ ಗಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಮೇಕೆದಾಟಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಪಟ್ಟ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಮದರಾಸು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ರುಜು ಆಗ ಬೇಕು. ಅದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಅದನ್ನು ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಇನ್ನು ಹತ್ತು ಹದಿನೈದು ದಿನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಅದು ವಾಪಸು ಬರಬಹುದು. ಅದು ಬಂದಮೇಲೆ ಅವರಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಬಾಕಿಯದಕ್ಕೆ ಈಗ ನಧ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ಹೇಳಿ ದ್ದೇವೆ. ಮೇಕೆದಾಟು ಆದರೆ ಮಿಕ್ಕದ್ದಕ್ಕೂ ಕೊಡಲು ಒಪ್ಪುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅನುಕೂಲವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ಈಗ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರತಕ್ಕ ದರ ನಮಗೆ ಲಾಭದಾಯಕವಾಗಿದೆಯೆ!

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಹೌದು, ಆದರೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ದುಬಾರಿಯಾದ ದರವನ್ನು ಅವರ ಮೇಲೆ ಹೇರಿ ದ್ದೇವೆ ಎನ್ನುವಹಾಗೂ ಇಲ್ಲ, ನಮಗೆ ನಷ್ಟವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುವಹಾಗೂ ಇಲ್ಲ. Fair and reasonable ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಬಹುದು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—Margin of profit ಎಷ್ಟು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಅದನ್ನೆಲ್ಲ ಹೇಳುವುದು ಯುಕ್ತವಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್. ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪನವರು (ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ಉಜ್ಜಿನಿ ಹತ್ತಿರ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗಲು ಎಷ್ಟು ಖರ್ಚಾಗಿದೆ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—I could not tell you just now.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್. ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಖರ್ಚು ಮಾಡಿದ ಹಣದ ಮೇಲೆ ಸುಮಾರು ಶೇಕಡ ಎಷ್ಟು ಲಾಭ ಬರುತ್ತದೆ ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Roughly 10 per cent.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್. ಸಿದ್ದಪ್ಪನವರು.— ಕೊಳ್ಳೇಗಾಲಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟರುವುದರಿಂದಲೂ ಇಷ್ಟೇ ಬರಬಹುದೆ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Quite so.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY (Chitaldrug District—General).—Is it not a fact that supply has been agreed to be given to Hindupur?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Yes, we have agreed to give power supply to Hindupur, but we have no transformers. They want 33 K.V.A. transformers. They are not available.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—Is it not a fact that the Mysore Government agreed to supply transformers?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Yes, we agreed; but we did not get silicon steel and other materials for manufacturing them.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—Is it not a fact that the orders of the Government of Madras were accepted by the Government Electric Factory?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.— Yes, sure.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—And also the Madras Government were given to understand that the manufacture of transformers was in progress?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Yes, we wanted to do it. Therefore we undertook that, but we did not get materials to finish it.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—How far was progress made in this direction?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We went some way. I cannot tell you how far.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—Are they in the process of manufacture?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—ನಲಕರಣೆ ಗಳಿಲ್ಲದೆ ಹೇಗೆ ಮಾಡುವುದು?

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—I would like to know whether any attempt was made to execute the order?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—An honest attempt was made, but silicon steel was not available.

Sri M. GOVINDA REDDY.—Is it a fact that supply of power to these places outside Mysore is made at rates much cheaper than the rates that are being enforced in the State?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—No; definitely no.

Mushir-ul-Mulk J. MAHOMED IMAM (Chitaldrug *cum* Tumkur—Muslim).—What is the total outlay incurred for supplying power at Ujjini?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—I have already answered that.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—I was not here, I was a bit late. May I request the Hon'ble Minister to repeat the answer if it is not inconvenient?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—I have said that I could not give the figure immediately.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—At least in terms of lakhs, may I know the amount spent on the scheme to take the line from Davangere to Ujjini?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—I could not tell you. May be Rs. 10 lakhs.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—What is the quantity of power that is now available at Ujjini point?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We propose to give 4,000 K.W.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—May I know for what period they will consume this quantity of 4,000 K.W.?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—They propose to take the power for a period of eight years; they may renew it.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—What is the return you are now getting from that scheme? Are you getting any return at all?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.— We have no return as yet. We propose to collect all the money from the time they have been able to get power, up to 10 per cent. That is the understanding.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—Have you entered into any agreement as regards the guarantee of certain income upon our outlay?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—Yes, we have.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—Is it not a fact that we are now maintaining the staff on these transmission lines right from Bhadravati up to Ujjini to take power?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We have staff everywhere.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM—Who is maintaining this staff?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We are maintaining, of course.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—When we are not getting any return from the Madras Government and when they are not consuming the power, where is the necessity to maintain the staff? Is it

not an extra expenditure for the Government ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—No, Sir. We have entered into agreement that from the date we are able to supply them power, they are bound to guarantee income that we have insisted upon.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—Why is it that power has not been taken ? Is it because you have failed to supply power or is it because they are unable to take power ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—They have got to have their distribution wires ready before they can take power from us.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—Is it not a fact that there is power running on the line from Davangere to Ujjini ? Is it not loaded ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—It is ready. The line is charged with current to some extent because the outskirts and villages within a certain radius we want to electrify.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—For what purposes are you now utilising the power ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—That is what I say. Outskirts and villages have got to be electrified. Therefore we are engaging it. As soon as they get their distribution wires ready, we will allow them full load.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—So are you supplying all the villages along this transmission line with power ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—That is what we intend doing.

Janab J. MAHOMED IMAM.—May I know when the distribution line to Madras will be ready and when they propose to take all the power ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—I think by about July they may be able to take. I could not tell you definitely.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಸ್. ರಂಗರಾಮಯ್ಯನವರು (ಮೈಸೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).— ಈಗ ಕೋಲಾರ ಚಿನ್ನದಗಣಿಗೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿರುವುದು ಎಷ್ಟು ಕಿಲೋವಾಟ್ಸ್?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—50,000 ಕಿಲೋ ವಾಟ್ಸ್, ಯೂನಿಟ್ಟಿಗೆ 49 ರಂತೆ.

Sri S. RANGARAMIAH.—Is it cheaper or costlier ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—It is neither cheaper nor costlier ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು (ಮೈಸೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಗಡಿಯಿಂದ ಹೊರಗಿರುವ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವಯಾವುದಕ್ಕೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡಲು ಒಪ್ಪಿದ್ದಾರೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಉತ್ತರದಲ್ಲಿ ತಿಳಿಸಿದೆ. ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡಗು ಸೇರಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೂ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನೊದಗಿಸಲು ಒಪ್ಪಿದ್ದೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು —ಒಪ್ಪಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಒಪ್ಪಂದವಾಗಿದೆಯೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಇನ್ನೂ ಆಗಿಲ್ಲ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಕಾರಣವೇನು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಇಂಡಿಯಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರೊಡನೆ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಯಾವ ಮಾರ್ಗವಾಗಿ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಲೈನ್ ಹೋಗುತ್ತದೆ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ನಿಮ್ಮ ಪಿರಿಯಾಪಟ್ಟಣದ ಮೇರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು.— ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೂ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಖಂಡಿತವಾಗಿಯೂ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಎಂ. ಚೆನ್ನಬಸಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಅಲ್ಲಿಯ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ ವ್ಯವಸಾಯಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊಡಲು ಅವಕಾಶವಾಗುತ್ತದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಖಂಡಿತವಾಗಿ ಆಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪನವರು (ಚಿತ್ರದುರ್ಗ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ನೀವು ಅನೇಕ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಆ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಮುಂಚೆ ನಮ್ಮ ದೇಶದ ಆವಶ್ಯಕತೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಒದಗಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಮೊದಲು ಅವುಗಳಿಗೆ ಒದಗಿಸಿ ಉಳಿದದ್ದನ್ನು ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK (Chitaldrug District—General).—When our portion of the work is over and power supply is not taken by them on account of their work not being ready, should we not charge ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—That is what I said. We are going to charge from the date we were ready to give power.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Are we not ready to give power ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We are ready.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Therefore, is it not right to charge ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We are charging ; who said 'No' ?

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Are you supplying power now to Ujjini ?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We are supplying power to Ujjini.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—And they are making profit out of it?

Sri K. T BHASHYAM.—No.

Sri A. BHEEMAPPA NAIK.—Are they going to charge the consumers the same rates at which we are supplying power to them?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM.—We expect them to do so.

Electric Power Supply to Bethamangala Section.

*Q.—88. **Sri M. V. KRISHNAPPA** (Kolar District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the capacity of the electric line that supplies power to Bethamangala Section and on to Mulbagal Taluk;

(*b*) whether they have thought of increasing the capacity of the above line;

(*c*) the number of villages that were electrified in the last two years in Mulbagal Taluk in that line?

Sri K. T. BHASHYAM (Minister for Law and Labour).—

A.—(*a*) 600 K.V.A. is the capacity of the system.

(*b*) An estimate for this work has been sanctioned and orders for the supply of transformers have been placed with foreign manufacturers.

(*c*) None.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಈಗ ತಾವು ಒದಗಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವುದನ್ನು ಎಷ್ಟು ಕೆ.ವಿ.ಎ. ಕೃಪ್ಯಾಸಿಟಿಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸುತ್ತೀರಿ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—15,000 ಕೆ.ವಿ.ಎ. ಕೃಪ್ಯಾಸಿಟಿಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪನವರು.—ಟ್ರಾನ್ಸ್‌ಫಾರ್ಮರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಆರ್ಡರು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀವೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಮಾಡಿ ಎಷ್ಟು ದಿನ ಆಯಿತು?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಮಾಡಿ ನುಮಾರು ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ಹತ್ತಿರ ಬಂತು.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪನವರು.—Orders for the supply of transformers have been placed with foreign manufacturers ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದೀರಿ. ಯಾವ ದೇಶದವರಿಗೆ ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೀರಿ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಜರ್ಮಾ, ಸ್ವಿಡ್ಜರ್‌ಲೆಂಡ್, ಅಮೆರಿಕ—ಆ ಕಡೆಗಳಿಂದ ತರಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ವಿ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಪ್ಪನವರು.—ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಇಲ್ಲದೇ ಇರುವ ಕಡೆ ಜಾಗ್ರತೆ ಒದಗಿನುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಟಿ. ಭಾಷ್ಯಂರವರು.—ಎಷ್ಟು ಬೇಗ ಆದರೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ಬೇಗ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Mr. SPEAKER.— Next Question. Q. No. 112.

Adult Literacy Drive in the State.

*Q—112. **Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH** (Kolar District—General),—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the amount that has been spent on Adult Literacy drive in the State;

(*b*) the number of adults that have become literate as a result thereof;

(*c*) whether any tests have been conducted and whether such people have become really literate?

A.—**Sri T. SIDDALINGIAH** (Minister for Education and Public Health).—

(*a*)—

Year.		Amount spent. Rs.
1941-42	...	3,353
1942-43	...	22,533
1943-44	...	70,640
1944-45	...	1,26.545
1945-46	...	4,38,748
1946-47	...	4,67,026
1947-48	...	4,90,322
1948-49	...	5,18,483
1949-50	...	*5,00,000
Total	...	26.37,650

* Grant given by Government.

(*b*)—

Year.		Number made literate
1941-42 } 1942-43 }		Figures not available.
1943-44	...	7,076
1944-45	...	13,638
1945-46	...	50,817
1946-47	...	44,265
1947-48	...	38,211
1948-49	...	34,022
1949-50	...	Figures not available.
Total	...	188,029

(*c*) (i) Yes.
(ii) Yes.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಮಾದಯ್ಯಗೌಡರು (ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ಉಪ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಕುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಮೊದಲು ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯ ತಿಳಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ (a) ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರವಾಗಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟರತಕ್ಕ ಅಂಕೆ ಅಂಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲವು ತಪ್ಪುಗಳು ಬಿದ್ದಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಅಂಕೆ ಅಂಶಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಮೇರೆ ಇದನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಸರಿಯಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

Sri K. SAMPANGI RAMIAH.—What are the several tests adopted to find out